

ICONOCLAST

**Writer Shows Illogical Position
of the Menace and Its
Imitators.**

**A. P. A. Revival a Reminder of
Locust and Periodical
Pest.**

**Promoters of Ex-Priests Later
Complain About Empty
Churches.**

OPPOSED TO COMMON DECENCY

The daily press during the past week has been carrying sensational descriptions of the trial of one Dr. Jacob Price, of the Methodist church, who is being tried by a conference of that church for improper conduct with some of his women parishioners, and the question has been raised, what a howl would go up if some Catholic priest conducted along the lines of the filthy A. P. A. Menace would condemn the entire ministry and laity of the Methodist church for the actions of the above clergyman. Along this line the following article by a writer in Brann's Iconoclast seems to be appropriate for the occasion:

About every fifteen years the venomous viper of bigotry raises its flat repulsive head up out of the steaming swamp of ignorance and hatred, where it has gorged itself with falsehood, calumny and slander, and vomits its malodorous slime out over the land. It reminds one of the thirteen-year locusts, the Kansas grasshoppers and other periodical pests. The buzzards catch the well known scent, flock around the nauseating banquet and scream with joy and delight over the palatable treat.

Now let me give you a fictitious case and ask you a question. Suppose that among the Catholic clergymen there would be found one so degenerate and shameless, so forgetful of duty and decency, so devoid of all sentiments of honor and self-respect, so stripped of all sense of right, justice, virtue and liberty, so lacking in principle and honesty, so ignorant and brutal as to edit a sheet of the color of some edited in Missouri and Georgia. He would call it "The Danger," or some other suggestive and scary name. The sheet would steam, reek, drip and sizzle up with lurid lies, slimy slanders and caustic calumnies about Protestant ministers and Bishops, about Protestant history and institutions, the good name, honor and reputation of Protestant women would be dragged into the mire, especially of such as are engaged in religious and charitable work, who teach the children, care for the foundling and the orphan, nurse the sick and the wounded, help the aged and the infirm, reclaim the fallen and the wayward, etc.

Now the question: What would happen to this vile rag? Let me tell you. Not only would the Archbishops, Bishops and priests, but every Catholic layman in the country, raise his voice and close his purse against this un-Christian, un-Scriptural, un-American and uncivilized buzzard sheet. It would never boast of a million, or a half million subscribers, for the simple reason that it would not survive its first issue on account of the total lack of support. The Ir-Rev. Editor would be commanded by his Bishop not only to discontinue his un-Christian, un-American and uncivilized sheet, but to publicly recall his lies, calumnies and slanders, publicly apologize for the heinous scandal, and would be suspended till he did. Then what? Having gone as far as he did, he will most probably be too proud and self-conceited, and too far gone, to submit, will leave the church and throw himself into the willing and loving arms of some of his moral equals, who will receive him with joy, ignore his antecedents and announce with hallelujah expression (apologies to Hashimura Togo) that another poor, persecuted victim of a tyrannical Popish Bishop, another inoffensive, innocent lamb, with "deceit as white as snow," has been happily snatched from the inquisitorial fangs of the Romish wolf. The dear lamb will be petted; in fact, lionized; he will be led upon the stage and will be urged (not only with thirty pieces of silver) to enlighten and regale a select (?) and credulous audience with the filthy droppings of his putrid imagination.

If any Catholic, whose most sacred sentiments have been brutally and slanderously trampled into the dirt, dares to resent the outrage with even a single word of protest, all the vipers of the swamp pop up their hate-glittering heads and hiss in unison, chorus about a Romish or Popish plot to assassinate this exemplary, law-abiding citizen, who has found in their serpentine company the peace of mind and the freedom of conscience, after which he strove in vain in the Jesuit-ridden church of Rome.

Such is the stuff of which ex-priests are made. They are poor, pitiful specimens of men, who on account of their irregular, scandalous or immoral lives had to be suspended by their Bishop, and who were too far gone and too self-conceited to submit. Some minister with a brain-storm case of Romish phobia will invite him to occupy his pulpit on a Sunday, where instead of preaching the gospel of Christ he will neatly and deftly expose his

dirty wash for the admiration and edification of pastor and people. After this there will be a hymn or prayer, in which there will be much mention of sweet Jesus and of the love and charity of Christ. What a travesty! O tempora, o mores!

Later on this same pastor will do some loud lamenting and complaining about an empty church. Yet would it not be a wonder if it were otherwise? Who can blame a good, upright Protestant, who is a sincere Christian, if he stays away from a place where instead of the charity of Christ an un-American hatred is preached? Who can blame him if he insists that his wife and daughters keep away from a place where their sense of modesty, decency and propriety is insulted by a shameless recital of personal moral depravity? Why is it that so many of these filthy rags and their oozing slime of falsehoods with a relish that reminds one of a certain text in which the dog, returning to the vomit, has a conspicuous place? Old, hoary, stale, worm-eaten chestnuts are dish up with an extra yellow veneer and crimson streaks; slanders which have a hundred and one times been decisively and conclusively proved to be absolutely untrue. What a side-light upon the intelligence, honesty and Christianity not only of a multitude of misled, misguided and misinformed dupes, but even of ministers and editors of church papers who endorse these Christian calumnies and aid in their spread and call them "exposures" instead of what they really are—fictitious falsehoods? Why is this? Should we, as an answer to this question quote the ancient Latin saying: "Simile similibus" and "Asinus asinum facit," which the Anglo-Saxon has translated into "Birds of a feather flock together?"

Among my friends I count a goodly number of Protestants—good, honest, upright people whose friendship I highly prize. I also believe, with the Iconoclast, that most American Protestants are honest and fair-minded; that they detest as much as Catholics do, hatred and feelingless, the barbarous and brutal attacks of the Missouri and Georgia savages, some of whom shamelessly prefix "Rev." to their names; that they see and feel how diametrically opposed to the letter and the spirit of the Bible and of the constitution of the country this disgraceful exhibition of hatred and fanaticism is. I have often wondered why some of these fair-minded and well-wishing Christians and American citizens have not made more efforts to discredit the output of these journalistic scavengers, which reflects such an odium upon their religion, gives the lie to the claims of the cornerstones of the constitution, and is a deadly menace to common decency, a menace to religion, State, family and individual. But after thinking the matter over and placing myself in their position, I can not blame them. I imagine they feel about like the man who is expected to reach in under the dunghill and pull out the skunk that has lodged there. If the liberty of the press should ever be curtailed and a censorship of the press be established in this country, it will be owing to the publication of just such brutal, indecent and unconstitutional sheetlets, for no decent, self-respecting government can allow its moral atmosphere to be continually polluted by the malodorous exhalations of featherless journalistic buzzards.

NOTABLE CELEBRATION.

Tomorrow, Easter Sunday, will be the twenty-fifth anniversary of the ordination of the priesthood of four Dominican priests, three of whom are especially well known to the parishioners of St. Louis Bertrand's church—Very Rev. Father Thomas McGovern, the present prior; Rev. Father Reginald Higgins and Rev. Father F. A. Gaffney, both of whom were located here for several years. Rev. Father Andrew Enis, Father Higgins at present is located in Newark and Father Gaffney in Houston. On account of the many church services tomorrow and consequent pressure of duties on the local priests the celebration proper has been postponed to the following Sunday, April 19, when silver jubilee services will be celebrated at the 10:30 o'clock mass, and dinner spread in the rectory of St. Louis Bertrand at 1:30 o'clock for the large number of clergy who are expected to attend.

MAKING ORPHANS HAPPY.

Through the efforts of a number of big hearted Catholic laymen the 204 parentless boys and girls who find homes and shelter in the St. Thomas and St. Vincent Orphan Asylums will be made happy this Easter Sunday afternoon. These gentlemen have arranged for an egg hunt for the orphans on the grounds surrounding St. Vincent's Asylum, to begin at 2 o'clock, and the public is most cordially invited to be present and take part. A committee will meet at St. Thomas Asylum at 12:30 and will escort the boys to St. Vincent's grounds, special cars having been secured for this purpose. Everybody should feel interested in these orphans and it is therefore hoped that the weather will be favorable and that a large crowd of both old and young will be on hand to cheer the little ones and encourage the kind Sisters who have them in their care. From such gatherings elsewhere great results have been achieved, all lasting and of great benefit to the orphans and the Sisters who devote their lives to their welfare.

GOING TO ROME.

Accompanied by Monsignor Spaine, administrator of the Boston Cathedral, Cardinal O'Connell will sail April 25 for Rome, on his official visit to the Holy Father Pius X.

ROUTED.

**The Home Rule Bill For Ireland
Again Passes House of
Commons.**

**Redmond Confident That the
Measure Will Never Be
Repealed.**

**Asquith Again Takes His Seat
in the Commons Without
Opposition.**

GOVERNMENT MAJORITY EIGHTY

The home rule bill for Ireland again passed the House of Commons on Monday night, which crowns with victory the long and determined fight of the Irish Nationalists. "I think in the present circumstances there is nothing for the House of Commons to do but proceed with the home rule for Ireland bill as it now stands." This was the closing sentence of a speech delivered Monday in the House of Commons by John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish Nationalists, who made the final speech on behalf of the Nationalist party on the second reading of the home rule bill. The vote of the House on the measure was arranged to be taken that night. The day's proceedings in the House were opened by Redmond, who pleaded that the present stage of the controversy was so critical that all energies must be devoted to facing a settlement of the realities. He continued: "The country as a whole is sick and tired of the Irish question and it must be settled here and now." In the course of his speech Redmond said: "The House of Commons owes it as a duty to Ireland and to England to pass the home rule bill. I am profoundly confident that when the bill has once been passed it never will be repealed."

In an address on Saturday at Ladbroke, Scotland, Premier Asquith definitely refused the Unionists' demand that the question of home rule should be submitted to the electors. He said: "We believe it to be a wise and just measure. We have disclaimed and will continue to disclaim any submission of it to the country. None the less, we are earnestly anxious if it is possible to work out an agreed settlement."

Premier Asquith again became a member of the House of Commons on Wednesday, when he was returned unopposed by his old constituency of East Fife, Scotland. At noon, as no other candidates had put in an appearance, the returning officer of the constituency declared Herbert Henry Asquith duly elected. Premier Asquith resigned his seat in the House of Commons on March 30 after he had taken over the War Secretaryship from Col. John Seely. According to the British custom a member of Parliament, on accepting an "office of profit under the Crown," is compelled to give up his seat in order to seek the approval of his constituents to his acceptance of office. While the Premier was absent from the legislative chamber Reginald McKenna, Home Secretary, performed the functions of leader of the House. During this short period the home rule bill passed its second reading. The resignation of Col. Seely as Secretary of War was brought about by the crisis in the army in connection with the Ulster situation.

Although about half the population of London spent Saturday afternoon demonstrating for and against home rule, the majority of the parliamentarians lost their tempers and many of their purses, the day closed with a sad damper for the Ulster sympathizers. About 300,000 of London's tribe of nomads at an average cost of fifty cents a head for liquid refreshments had marched to Hyde Park carrying miniature Union Jacks and wearing badges inscribed "Support Loyal Ulster." With them marched, in taxicabs, overfed members of the Stock Exchange, holding up heavy cigars. They were also joined later by the silk-hatted, frock-coated members of the Carlton, Constitutional and other Tudy clubs, some of whom went purple with rage at the cheery comments of the home rule onlookers. "You don't look as if you were ever evicted," was some of the comments especially annoying. In fact, the proceedings would have been entirely harmonious if it had not been for the presence of thousands of home rulers who refused to bend the knee to Carson and greeted Balfour and other Tory speakers with derisive groans. To cap the climax, despite all the flag waving, trumpet calls, fervent resolutions demanding an immediate general election, references to the home rulers, the suffragettes and the British electorate came the awful news that the Eastern Unionists, although given the opportunity to throw out the Premier, chief author of the deadly plot against Ulster, had determined not to oppose him. At this piteous anti-climax, heretofore unknown, the demonstrators melted away to their homes trying to avoid each others' gaze.

BEAUTIFUL PROGRAMME.

St. Peter's church, Seventeenth and Garland avenue, on Palm Sunday evening had one of the finest musical programmes ever heard in a Louisville church. Among the numbers were "The Seven Last Words of Christ," rendered by a selected choir directed by Miss Elizabeth Chase, with Miss Nellie Chase presiding.

ing at the organ. Since the time of Hayden, who wrote the first musical setting for the Passion, many eminent composers have used these sorrow-laden passages from Scripture to express their highest musical thoughts, and it is safe to say the rendition given expressed most perfectly the exquisite sorrow of the text. Every seat was occupied and the aisles and vestibule crowded. Father Edmund Kaiser preached a short but eloquent sermon on the Catholic church and its music.

BECKHAM

**Supporters Attempt to Start
Local Stampede to Their
Candidate.**

**Louisville Democracy Not Intensely
Interested in Claims
of Either.**

**Men's Federation Neglects to
Apologize to Louisville
Representatives.**

CIRCULAR ON SEGREGATION

Added interest was given to the contest for the United States Senatorial nomination during the past week by the visit of ex-Gov. Beckham to Louisville and his call on Mayor Buschmeyer and other officials in the City Hall, accompanied by R. W. Knott, editor of the Evening Post. This visit was interpreted by many to mean that the prelate would suffer a complete breakdown unless he left the terrible heat and hard labors of his archdiocese for a short rest in his own climate, was last week in Indiana. Wednesday evening he arrived for a visit to St. Meinrad, accompanied by the Rev. James O'Brien, pastor of St. Margaret's church, St. Louis, and a former student of St. Meinrad's Seminary. Father O'Brien was associated with Archbishop Harty for many years when the latter was pastor of St. Leo's church in the same city, before his appointment to Manila.

In an address on Saturday before the faculty and students of St. Meinrad's Seminary and Preparatory College the Archbishop declared that the stories circulated in this country regarding the religious conditions of the Philippine Islands during the ministrations of the Spanish friars were "calumnies out of whole cloth, apparently directed toward Spain when really meant for the Catholic church, and are but a part of the plot to rob the Filipinos of their faith." The Archbishop paid a glowing tribute to the administration of the islands by the United States Government.

"There is a disposition to defame Spain and everything Spanish in regard to the Philippine Islands," said Archbishop Harty, "but this is only a guise, only a dishonest trick. The real motive behind it is to defame the Catholic church, to hinder her work in the islands, to rob these poor Filipinos of the faith to which they are so devoted, and, instead of giving them something better, finally make agnostics and scoffers of them. I say this with all charity. Twenty-five years after the discovery of America the Catholic church came to the islands and her missionaries, the Spanish friars, began the work of converting and civilizing the people. They not only told them of Christ and his salvation, but they taught these savage people to build roads, to improve their material condition. Everywhere they cared for the sick and the helpless. Long before Harvard or Yale existed there was a great university in Manila, shedding its light throughout the whole Far East. Yes, and more. In 1659, think of it, there was opened in the same city a college for the higher education of women. In the Philippines woman is man's helpmate, his queen, she is honored and motherhood is honored. Only four days' journey by boat to China and Japan, she is man's chattel, the slave of his basest passions. Who did all this? The Catholic church, the friars."

"These friars are the men who have been heaped with calumnies, who have been called money-getters, immoral and goodness only knows what else I have been in the islands, gentlemen, nearly eleven years now; I have come into the most intimate contact with the people and with the priests, and I honestly can say that I know the situation, if any man knows it. And I stand before you today and say that these calumnies are lies. I can promise no big salaries, no easy times to the young men who come to aid me. No, I can promise only hard work and great labors, but I can promise a glorious reward, for I have the words of Our Blessed Lord Himself, 'Whatever ye have done to these, the least of my brethren, ye have done to unto me.'"

"I am anxious to get back to my flock because I have learned to love them so. In fact, I see nothing at all pretty in your white faces. I love them first because the Holy Ghost has sent me to them and as well because they are good people. They have those solid virtues which the Catholic church so strives for. They have the greatest respect for law, fully constituted authority and the devotion of the children to their parents is most edifying. Despite all the obstacles against which we are working, I am absolutely confident that the old church not only will hold her own, but that she will completely win the day in the Far East. There are 11,000,000 people on the islands and 8,000,000 are Catholic. The churches always are crowded and sometimes I have gone to places where I heard confessions all night long, together with three other priests, and still we had to turn away thousands of people. In others I have confirmed 6,000 adults and children in one day. Scarcely a day passes that four or five delegations from various parts of the diocese do not come to my residence in Manila begging me to send them a priest. I sometimes ask them if they think I have priests in my cassock pocket. But the horizon now is brighter and within the near future I believe that Almighty God will move the good people of the United States to contribute the means to

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**Archbishop Harty Says Friars of
the Philippines Were
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**Was Guest of St. Meinrad's
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PRAISE FOR OUR GOVERNMENT

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educate the many, many poor but worthy native boys who are anxious to study for the priesthood. Already I have a seminary with forty-three seminarians and more than sixty students in the preparatory college. "It is a genuine pleasure for me to tell you how just our Government has been, not only to the Filipino people, but to the church as well. There is no grinding down of the natives, no extortion, no unfairness. This is best shown by the fact that 90 per cent. of the Government positions in the islands are held by Filipinos. Not only is the Government just, but it is efficient as well. I am in the heartiest sympathy with our Government in its efforts to teach the people the English language, for as it now is the twenty-seven different languages keep them divided and prevent real united action. Toward the church, Uncle Sam has been just as fair and that is all the church asks, fairness, not favors. To Mr. Taft is due much credit for this. All of the Bishops in the islands have nothing but praise and good will for the Government and the sincerest desire to cooperate with it in every movement for the uplift of the islands. I say it from the bottom of my heart, God bless the Stars and Stripes. Let us always be the truest of the true to our country, the best government on the face of God's earth."

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

St. John's Hall, Clay and Walnut, was well filled at the regular meeting on Friday night of the Central Committee, Catholic Knights of America. President Kruse occupied the chair and every officer was present. The Entertainment Committee made its report, after which Gen. Michael Reichert, Charles Hill, Capt. Oscar Maier and Henry Kottler were appointed a committee to visit Tell City, Ind., for the purpose of arranging a trip to that city in the early summer. By unanimous vote it was decided to hold the annual reunion of the Catholic Knights of this city on Sunday, April 19. The members of all the Louisville branches will visit the Cathedral that morning and attend the high mass that will be celebrated at 7:45 o'clock and receive holy communion in a body. It is expected that the Rev. P. M. J. Rock, rector of the Cathedral, who is State Chaplain of the order, will be the celebrant of the mass and preach the sermon. It is earnestly hoped by President Kruse and the Central Committee that every branch will be fully represented. Gen. Reichert reported the organization of another uniform rank company and stirred up much enthusiasm.

SPIRITED MEETING.

The meeting of Division 1, A. O. H. Tuesday night was spirited and interesting throughout, and it is expected that the suggestions of President Tarry will result in an increased attendance and many additions to the membership. A hearty reception was given Sergeant Tom Fitzgibbon, Thomas Shelley and Thomas Rodgers, who are of the "old guard." All bills were allowed and Secretary Joe Farrell turned a neat sum into the treasury. Thomas Cleary reported that there were none on the sick list, Grant Kilkelly having recovered. His threatened illness. Spirited talks were made by Treasurer Thomas Keenan, ex-Senator Mark Ryan, Attorney Thomas Walsh and others, all in the interest of the Ancient Order and calculated to awaken a new spirit and increase the standing of Division 1. A expressed appreciation of the kindly words and advice of the Rev. James P. Cronin, V. G. of St. Patrick's, on the occasion of the annual communion, for which Secretary Walter Cusick was instructed to write him a letter conveying the thanks of Division 1.

NATHAN AN ENGLISHMAN.

The Italian papers have joined in the protest of the selection of ex-Mayor Nathan, of Rome, as the Italian Commissioner General to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, and the Italian Government is being severely criticized on all sides for the tactless appointment. Nathan is a naturalized Italian, being an Englishman by birth, speaking Italian with a pronounced English accent, and has obtained world-wide notoriety by offending the Pope and Catholics throughout the world in public utterances, attacking the dogma of the Immaculate Conception, and whose ignorance of the Italian language was so great that when the King of Sweden died he sent a telegram of condolence to the Mayor of Christiania, which he mistook for Stockholm. Nathan said the other day, "I notice that the American papers are blackguarding me. I am quite pleased about it," but it is expected this ignorant villifier will change his tune when he is given some of his own medicine on this side of the water.

VATICAN WANTS GIBBONS.

In Vatican circles it is considered certain that Cardinal Gibbons will soon come to Rome to visit the Pope and spend at least four weeks there. He will stay with Father Herzog at the Procure of St. Sulpice, and during that time set many American ecclesiastical affairs, which can not be dealt with easily by letter. It is said that the Pontiff, in speaking with some of his intimates, expressed a desire to see the Baltimore prelate.

ENJOYING VACATION.

Among the members of the local police force now enjoying their annual vacation are Robert W. Scanlon, Edward McSweeney, P. J. Maloney, Corporal Von Bokern and Jerry O'Leary. Those slated for the next ten days are James Maloney, Robert McLaughlin, J. J. Sullivan and R. O. Wellman.

FLAGET

**Was the Founder and Twice
Bishop of Louisville
Diocese.**

**See Was Transferred From
Bardstown to This City
in 1841.**

**Diocese Included Entire North-
west as It Was Then
Known.**

BALTIMORE FIRST ARCHDIOCESE

There are now more than 15,000,000 of Catholics in the United States. We have three members of the Sacred College and Rome is represented at Washington by an Apostolic Delegate. The country is divided into fourteen ecclesiastical provinces, each governed by its Metropolitan, and there are nearly 100 suffragan Bishops, each charged with the care of his own diocese. The number of Catholic priests, churches, schools, academies, colleges and other religious institutions are too many to be accurately enumerated, for what would be true today would be short of the mark tomorrow.

And yet it is only 106 years since we had but a single Bishop, the Right Rev. John Carroll, of Baltimore, with our country as a diocese, the anniversary of the first division of which we note in the Catholic American chronology under date of April 8, 1808. The contrast is striking; the lesson obvious.

When Father Carroll, S. J., arrived in Maryland from England, June 26, 1774, in consequence of the suppression of the Jesuits, whose society he had joined at Liege in 1753, there was not a single public Catholic church or place of worship in the State of Maryland, chiefly owing to the laws against Catholics in that State, in which Catholics had been the first to proclaim religious liberty and freedom of conscience.

When ten years later the same Father John Carroll, on November 26, 1784, was appointed Prefect Apostolic of the whole United States there were about 25,000 Catholics in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and New York, and they were ministered to by a few scores of missionary priests.

Less than twenty-five years later the number of Catholics, priests and churches had increased to such an extent, as the laws discriminating against them were one by one taken from the statute books, that at Bishop John Carroll's request Pius VII. issued bulls for the division of the diocese of Baltimore, the creation of the sees of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Bardstown, and the appointment of four new Bishops. Baltimore became an archdiocese and Bishop Carroll an Archbishop.

New York never saw her first Bishop for though the Irish Dominican prior of St. Clement's, Father Richard Luke Concanen, was consecrated in Rome on April 24, 1808, he was unable to leave Europe owing to the troubled political conditions of the time, and he died of fever at Naples on January 19, 1810, while awaiting transportation.

Boston's first Bishop, the saintly John Louis Cheverus, who had led the life of a hard working missionary since his arrival in 1796, was not consecrated until November 1, 1810, and after herculean labors in New England he resigned and died Cardinal-Archbishop of Bordeaux, July 19, 1836.

Philadelphia's first Bishop was Father Michael Egan, O. S. F., Bishop Carroll's Vicar General in that city, and the delayed bulls prevented his consecration until October 28, 1810. After a brief administration he died at the age of fifty-three, July 22, 1811.

Father Benedict Joseph Flaget was not only the first but also the third Bishop of the old diocese of Bardstown, which on its establishment included the entire Northwest as it was then known. He was consecrated November 4, 1810; resigned in 1830, and was reappointed as the successor of his own successor, the Right Rev. John Baptist Mary David. In 1841 the episcopal see was transferred to Louisville and Bishop Flaget became the first Bishop of Louisville and governed both dioceses until his death, February 11, 1850. He lived long enough to witness the establishment of ten dioceses out of the territory that was included in his original jurisdiction of Bardstown.—Copyrighted.

YOUNG LIFE ENDED.

Deep sorrow came to hundreds of friends when they learned of the death of Mrs. Helen Louise Hill, beloved wife of Henry G. Hill, at her home, 1437 Hepburn avenue. Mrs. Hill, who before her marriage two years ago was Miss Resch, was twenty-five years old, and was a lady for whom everybody had kindly feeling and respect. In her immediate circle she was a favorite, and by her death a real loss. Her funeral took place Monday morning from St. Bridget's church, which was thronged with friends and relatives, who feel the most sincere sympathy for the bereaved husband.

FEMALES LEADING.

Latest reports show that women outnumber the men in New York, Berlin, Paris and London.

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APPEAL TO BE HEEDED.

The Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue's appeal for funds to assist the Diocesan Seminary and the education of young men for the holy priesthood should meet with a generous response from the Catholics of the Louisville diocese. The work of these coming priests is God's work and humanity's work. Therefore let us at this time make a generous response out of the abundance of our means to the appeal of our Bishop on behalf of these worthy seminarians.

TO BE PITIED.

The Mountain Advocate, of Barboursville, devotes four columns of its first page in the latest issue replying to the Kentucky Irish American, which styled the Advocate as the Kentucky edition of the Menace on account of the vile attacks on everything Catholic contained in its columns. In spite of the proof submitted, showing that the Knights of Columbus oath, as circulated by the Menace, was a fake pure and simple, the Advocate editor still reiterates his belief in the hoax which reminds us of the old adage "A wise man changes his mind," etc.

NOT SO BAD.

Closing the city's old hospitals has caused the Pope's foes to mourn the days of Papal rule in Rome. Citizens are realizing that "they were better off when they were supposed to have been worse off." This characteristic Roman expression, which of late is frequently repeated, implies that the past was better than the present, and that after all Papal rule was not so bad. Applied to the question of hospitals the saying is quite true. In fact under Papal rule Rome was equally famous for churches and for hospitals. Nobody can deny that the Pope had the welfare of the poor at heart and spent large sums of money in charity, endowed many hospitals and encouraged monastic institutions and religious orders founded for the care of the sick. All these hospitals were admirably managed, generally by priests or monks, to whom graft was unknown.

CONSISTENT.

In his letters from abroad to the Louisville Courier-Journal Editor Henry Watterson still continues his scurrilous attacks on the Catholic church, which is consistent with the attitude of his former partner and co-worker Prentice, who led the Know-nothing attack on offensive Irish and German Catholics in 1855, and of whom there is a statue in Library Place as a standing insult to the descendants of his victims.

HOT ONE.

In reply to a fanatic of the Menace type, who wrote to C. A. Windle, the editor of Brann's Iconoclast, impugning his motives for defending the Catholic church, and that he believed the editor was a Jesuit in disguise, Editor Windle answered as follows: "But somehow I have never been able to favorably impress men who carry a vacuum under their hats, or conceal behind their bristled a small, dwarfed but hate filled soul. My open, straightforward methods never make a hit with people built on the cork-screw plan. It has never been my misfortune to win the endorsement of a liar, the friendship of a faker, the admiration of a despot, the compliments of a pinhead, or promote the happiness of hypocrites. But unlike most people I delight to cast pearls before swine. Now and then you find a human hog that can be transformed into a man by the magic pearl of truth. Neither do I consider it an entire waste of labor to shave an ass, for I always have more fun than the ass who gets his whiskers amputated."

INCONSISTENCY.

Some people are without any conscientious notions which they need to reconcile. A fine example of this is shown in the case of child labor in Mississippi and the bill presented to the Legislature for the inspection of convents. It seems perfectly proper in the State of Mississippi to wring the life-blood from little children and transform it into the coin of the realm. Little children, six, seven and eight years of age, are compelled to take their place with adults and labor in the factories and canneries. The eyes of the Mississippians are closed to this outrage and only become attentive

to the welfare of the child when bigotry and religious animosity enlarges their hearts to the necessity of protecting little children who are comfortable, safe and protected within the walls of convents and under the guidance of the teaching Sisters. This is the spirit that hurts the South.

Many dates have been set for the Papal consistory, all mere guesswork. Nothing definite will be known until the announcement is made by Pius X.

Attendance at the Lenten devotions in the various Catholic churches of Louisville this year has been exceptionally gratifying to the pastors.

EASTER.

Easter, the queen of Christian festivals, is the one great day of unmixled gladness in the year; the one day on which the frailties and the fears of our mortality cast no shadow on our immortal hopes. The derivation of the word "Easter" is of no consequence to us; nor the common infidel suggestion that the rebirth of nature in the spring had influence upon the keeping of the feast. As a matter of fact, as the gospel advanced westward from the mystical East, it was the thought of Christ's triumph over the grave which gave a new significance to the words "Easter" and "blossoms" on the hitherto stark branches of the trees; and the reversing of the seasons as Christianity found itself in the Antipodes made no difference in the spirit of its celebration.

The resurrection of Christ from the dead in the strength and splendor of his glorified humanity is the reason for our joy at Easter, whether we spend the feast in the neighborhood of the North Pole or the South, or under the scorching sun of the tropics. It is Christ's resurrection, at once an historical fact and a dogma of the Christian faith—"If Christ be not risen, then is all our preaching vain"—which gives a meaning to the great spring festival and which has preserved the harmless customs which had otherwise fallen into disuse.

It is the day on which we rejoice because Christ's resurrection intimates to us in what wise our own will be. He died as man. He rises still man, but endowed with powers which He could indeed have exercised and now and then really exercised before, because as God with Him all things were possible; but which we in due time in our risen bodies shall exercise with Him. He was no "pale Syrian ghost," but a strong, living, breathing man, who challenged the grasp of human hands, who partook of ordinary food, albeit He passed with the speed of lightning from place to place, and guarded walls of rock, and locked doors of wood, were alike futile to prevent his outgoing or his entrance as He would.

GIVEN GREAT HONOR.

Announcement was made at the Illinois State University at Urbana last Saturday that the Hon. Edward J. McDermott, Lieutenant Governor of Kentucky, has accepted the invitation to deliver the annual Phi Beta Kappa address in June. It is the custom among the Phi Beta Kappa chapters to invite only distinguished scholars to deliver their annual addresses, and the selection of Lieutenant Governor McDermott is therefore a great compliment to his literary and scholastic attainments. Members of the faculty of the University of Illinois who know him are much pleased that he has accepted an invitation to deliver an address at the commencement exercises in June. He will receive a hearty welcome from the students and faculty.

COLLINS' LECTURE.

Peter W. Collins, who is making a country-wide lecture tour under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus and educating the people on the menace of Socialism, will speak in Louisville on Sunday night, April 12. In sending out this able lecturer the Knights of Columbus are doing a good work in a good cause. Mr. Collins declares his work to be a defense of Christian faith against the Socialist assault. He has been on a tour of the Southern cities, doing valiant service with gratifying results. He will doubtless be greeted by a great audience. For many years Mr. Collins was prominent in the labor movement, and is therefore well qualified to discuss Socialism from the workingman's standpoint.

NATIONAL THEATER.

Edna Aug, whose comedy characterizations have secured for her a large following wherever she appears and who is remembered by many local vaudeville devotees, returns to Louisville for Easter Monday week to fill an engagement at the National. Since her last visit here she has filled Rose Stahl's role in "The Chorus Lady" with conspicuous success. Another big offering on the new bill will be provided by Genee Martin and Alan Jefferson, "New York Society Dancers." They have been booked for some time and were especially held for next week to fit in with the resumption of post-Lenten gaieties. The bill presents seven numbers, all high class and certain to please.

SOCIETY.

William J. Chaw is home again after a long tour of the Western States.

Miss Mary Mandel is entertaining her cousin, Miss Aline Donley, of Frankfort.

Miss Mary McKenna came in last week from Fairfield to visit Louisville friends.

Miss Loretta Langan was a recent visitor to Mrs. G. C. Howe at Meadowbrook.

Miss Margaret Moriarty has returned from Cincinnati, where she spent six weeks.

Mrs. John Cronan has been spending a week in Frankfort, visiting Mrs. W. Gunther.

Misses Honor and Benita Murphy were last week guests of the Misses Farman at Oklahona.

Miss Nellie Conniff spent last week in Irvington visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Conniff.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor have returned from a trip to St. Augustine and other Florida points.

Miss Alice Toner is expected home today from Cuba, Mo., where she has been spending the winter.

Mrs. Fred Flanagan, South Louisville, has had as her guest Miss Anna Donahue, of Covington.

The Young Men's Social Club will give the next of their series of dances next Tuesday at Utopian Hall.

Trinity Y. M. I. Social Club will give the last of their series of spring dances at their club house on Thursday, April 23.

William F. Klair, of Lexington member of the State Railroad Commission, arrived here Wednesday for a week-end visit.

James Hogan, James and Edward McGrath, pupils of St. Joseph's school at Bardstown, are home for the Easter holidays.

Miss Anna Bohan has returned from Indianapolis, where she spent several days visiting Mrs. Susan McCarthy, of Talbott avenue.

Mrs. J. C. Fedler, Cherokee road, had as her guests the past week Mrs. Charles Rice, of Chicago, and Mrs. D. W. Hilton, of New York.

Stephen Keeley and daughter, Miss Virginia Keeley, of 3240 West Kentucky street, will leave the first week in May to spend the summer in Ireland.

Eugene J. Henchey and son Eugene J., Jr., will return tonight from Cincinnati, where they have been spending the week on a business trip.

Mrs. Harry T. Esterle, of 1428 Hepburn avenue, who has been visiting in Hot Springs, Ark., is the guest of her son, Harry T. Esterle, in Little Rock.

Richard Wathen and daughters, Misses Lizzie and Eula Wathen, who have been spending the winter here, will soon leave for their country home at Lebanon Junction.

Mrs. Margaret E. Mivalez, 839 Lakeside place, Chicago, formerly of Louisville, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Marjorie Florence Mivalez, to Philip J. McMahon, of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAttee, who have been spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent McAttee at Comfort, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. James Wintersmith, of Ada, Okla., are expected to arrive here today.

Fred Doyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle, of West St. Catherine street, who has been in Winnipeg, Canada, for the past six months, is home to be treated for threatened attack of blood poisoning in his hand.

Eugene McCarthy is now one of the happiest men in Louisville. On Friday of last week the Stork visited his home and left there a beautiful baby girl, to whom he is devoting all his leisure time. This will explain his temporary retirement from the activities in Catholic fraternal society circles. Both parents and grandparents are receiving congratulations from near and far.

A pretty wedding will take place next Wednesday when the Rev. Charles P. Raffo will unite in the holy bonds of wedlock Miss Jeanette Louise Bennett, the charming and accomplished daughter of Mrs. John Bennett, of South Second street, and Hon. William H. Duffy, the well known attorney and son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Duffy. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the residence of the bride's parents.

HOW ABOUT IT, GUY?

They are telling a good one on a popular young couple, who purchased a home on West Broadway two years ago, but who were never satisfied with what they termed a stationary window on the side of their home, and during the past week contracted with a carpenter to build and substitute a window that they could raise and lower at will, but when the carpenter arrived with the new window, found that the supposed stationary window was only stuck and raised with little effort. Their friends say this is on a par with that of Merkle failing to touch second base or the famous John Anderson, who stole second with the bases full.

MACKIN COUNCIL.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of Mackin Council Monday night, when intense interest was manifested in the illuminated Paeon pictures and the lecture thereon. President Thornton named

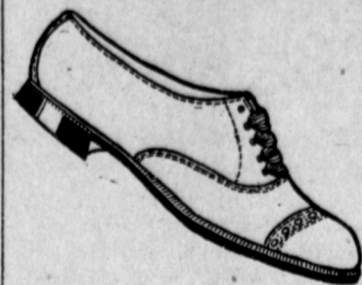
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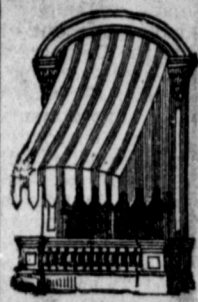
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Messrs. John Lynn, George Simonis, Joe Buffehr and Raymond Schott a committee to arrange for the initiation to be held this month. The council was invited to the Social Club's Easter Monday dance, which is recognized as Mackin's social event of the season. For this occasion the club house and hall will be brilliantly illuminated. Large crowds are attracted to witness the pinchole contests, which have now become quite exciting.

SHAMROCK SOCIALS.

The Shamrock Social Club, composed of a number of popular young ladies, will entertain with a monster euchre and lotto party and dance on Monday night at O'Connell Hall, Thirtieth and Oak. For the past six weeks they have been busy with preparations for this event and promise a most pleasant evening. Besides the games there will be unique and novel features and a number of special dancing contests.

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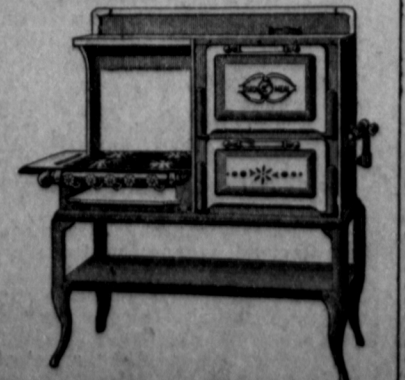
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What They Have Been Doing
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 News Notes.

Division 4 will meet next Monday
 night.

County President Connelly will
 call a meeting of the County Board
 immediately after Lent.

George J. Butler and Thomas
 Quinn are working unceasingly for
 the success of Division 3's new
 home.

The new home of Division 3 not
 only reflects credit on the enterprise
 of that division, but is a splendid
 advertisement for the entire order.

John Riley is boosting the motion
 pictures and vaudeville show to be
 given by the Hibernian Social Club
 on April 21 at the Norman Theater.

Local Hibernians are deeply
 grateful to the County Chaplain,
 Very Rev. Father Cronin, for his aid
 and assistance at all times in
 advancing their interests.

The Ladies' Auxiliary had a splen-
 did meeting Wednesday night. There
 has been a great demand for tickets
 for their picture show entertainment,
 which is now an assured success.

Patrick T. Moran, Chairman of
 our National Board of Directors and
 Vice President of the Washington
 Chamber of Commerce, has done
 much to make a great event of the
 unveiling of the Barry monument.

Thomas Kennedy, of Division 3,
 while at work on Broadway, between
 Sixteenth and Seventeenth, was
 struck by a Louisville Railway Com-
 pany work car Wednesday morning,
 sustaining a bad scalp wound and
 injuries about the head. He is now
 confined to his home on Tyler ave-
 nue, and has hopes of soon being
 able to be out again.

WITH NUPTIAL MASS.

Charles Melvin McCann has is-
 sued invitations to the marriage of
 his daughter, Miss Mary Agnes
 McCann, to Edwin Henry Haag,
 which will take place Thursday
 morning, April 16, at the Sacred
 Heart church, Seventeenth street
 and Broadway. The Rev. Father P.
 J. Walsh will perform the ceremony
 and sing the nuptial high mass. Miss
 Mary Barrall, of Barrallton, will be
 Miss McCann's maid of honor, and
 the bridesmaids will be Misses Freda
 Haag and Josephine Tierney. Joseph
 Caskey will be the best man and the
 groomsmen will include Messrs.
 Baldwin Haag and John O'Connor.
 The flower carriers will be Miss
 Isabella Beck and Master Stanley
 Pope Hughes.

CONCERT AND MINSTREL.

Rehearsals are now in progress for
 the grand concert and minstrel show
 to be given by the St. Augustine
 minstrels at their hall, 1308 West
 Broadway, next Wednesday and
 Thursday evenings, the performances
 to begin at 8 o'clock and the general
 admission to be twenty-five cents.
 Under the personal direction of Rev.
 Father Felten many of these col-
 orful amateurs have developed into
 first-class performers, and the ex-
 hibition as a whole will compare
 favorably with some of the minstrel
 shows which appear at our leading
 local theaters. There are several
 splendid voices in the troupe, which
 give an opportunity for solo and
 quartette singing that is sure to be
 greatly appreciated.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL'S.

On Easter Monday St. Vincent
 de Paul parish will entertain in
 the large basement of its new school,
 corner Shelby and Oak, all its kind
 friends and visitors at euchre and
 lotto, coffee social and supper. Draw-
 ings for a skillfully handworked
 table cover, made and donated by the
 Ursuline nuns, and for one hundred
 or more home-made cakes baked by
 expert prize-winning cake bakers of
 this parish, will be special features
 of this entertainment. There will
 also be other attractions, amuse-
 ments and various refreshments.
 Many handsome prizes will be
 awarded to the best players.

MISSION AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

On April 19 a two weeks' mission
 will open at St. Joseph's church,
 East Washington street. The first
 week will be for the women of the
 congregation, the second for the
 men. The mission will be conducted
 by Father Flavian Larbes, O. F. M.,
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 pit orators of the Franciscan order.

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John J. McCloskey, of this city,
 formerly manager of the Milwaukee
 team of the American Association,
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 scout for the Cincinnati Reds. Mc-
 Closkey has developed many high
 class ball players, and Garry Her-
 man will find his services most
 valuable.

CATHEDRAL.

The ladies of the Cathedral Altar
 Society announce a reception and
 euchre party for their friends in the
 new Cathedral Hall on Tuesday
 April 21. Mrs. David Welsh has
 the affair in charge, and this is a
 guarantee of a pleasant time and
 many desirable prizes.

EUCHRE AND LOTTO.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of St.
 Cecilia's church has made great
 preparation for a euchre and lotto
 party to be given on the afternoon
 and evening of Tuesday, April 14.
 It will be held in St. Cecilia's Hall
 and games will be called at 2:30 in
 the afternoon and 8 o'clock at night.
 There will be a nice array of prizes
 and a pleasant evening for those who
 attend.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

John Hogan, a well known Hiber-
 nian in Cork, his native city, Septem-
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and, receiving no benefits, returned
 two weeks ago. From boyhood he
 had been employed at the car works
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 Mr. Hogan was born in Jefferson-
 ville forty-four years ago and was
 a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John
 Hogan. He is survived by two sis-
 ters and two brothers, who are
 Mrs. Lizzie Ford, of Jeffersonville;
 Mrs. Patrick Kennedy and Patrick
 Hogan, of Louisville, and Stephen
 Hogan, who is located in Texas. The
 funeral was held Wednesday morn-
 ing from St. Augustine's church,
 Rev. Michael Halpin conducting the
 solemn services.

SILVER JUBILEE.

The silver jubilee celebration of
 St. Michael's Commandery of the
 Knights of St. John will take place
 in St. Peter's church on Sunday,
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 Events in the Catholic His-
 tory of America.

By James A. Rooney.

April 5, 1903—Death at Montreal of
 Mrs. Mary Anne Madden Sadlier,
 famous Catholic authoress, whose
 stories and translations filled
 more than sixty volumes; born in
 County Cavan, Ireland, December
 30, 1820.

April 6, 1824—Death in Philadel-
 phia of Father Philip Larley,
 early Irish Augustinian mission-
 ary; built St. Augustine's church,
 Boston, and first church in New
 Bedford; said first mass in Brook-
 lyn, N. Y., and Paterson, N. J.;
 born in Tipperary in 1782.

April 7, 1812—Mother Mary Ann
 Fagan, with Sisters Frances de
 Chantal Walsh and Mary Paul
 Baldwin, Ursuline nuns from
 Blackrock Convent, Cork, ar-
 rived in New York on invitation
 of Father Anthony Kohlmann, S. J.,
 then administrator.

April 8, 1803—First division of the
 diocese of Baltimore when the
 following sees were erected: New
 York, with the Right Rev. Richard
 Luke Concanen as first Bishop;
 Philadelphia, with the Right Rev.
 Michael Egan; Boston, with the
 Right Rev. John Louis Cheverus;
 and Bardonia, with the Right
 Rev. Benedict Joseph Flaget.

April 9, 1816—Death of the Rev.
 Francis Charles Nagot, who with
 three fellow Sulpicians, Fathers
 Anthony Garnier, Michael Leva-
 doux and John Tessier, arrived at
 Baltimore July 10, 1791, and
 founded first American seminary,
 St. Mary's, in the "One Mile
 Tavern."

April 10, 1794—All the Franciscan
 missions of Mexico and Texas or-
 dered to be secularized by Don
 Pedro de Nava, Spanish Com-
 mandant General.

April 11, 1842—Death of the Right
 Rev. John England, first Bishop
 of Charleston, S. C.; consecrated
 in Cork, his native city, Septem-
 ber 21, 1830; arrived in Charle-
 ston same year; first Catholic
 priest to address the Congress by
 invitation, which he did in 1826;
 founded the United States Catholic
 Miscellany, earliest distinguished
 Catholic paper.—Copyrighted.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest
 Members Here and Else-
 where.

Oregon Knights have begun the
 systematic distribution of Catholic
 literature.

Sixty-five candidates were given
 the three degrees at the initiation
 just held at Memphis.

The fourth degree will be exem-
 plified at Memphis on July 5, when
 it is expected the class will number
 200.

Delaney Council of Pawtucket, R.
 I., held a special degree meeting last
 week and initiated forty-five candi-
 dates.

Deputy Leroy Hackett and nine
 Chicago men put on the degree work
 for a class of seventy-five last week
 at Alton, Ill.

The Maddox homestead on Third
 street, Newport, has been purchased
 and will be fitted up as one of the
 finest club houses in Kentucky.

The home of the Knights at
 Watertown, N. Y., will be made the
 social center of the Catholic socie-
 ties of that city, who will spend
 \$35,000 in improvements.

Capacity crowds heard the ser-
 mons preached by the Rev. J. M.
 Ripple, O. P., during the retreat
 held last week in the Cincinnati
 Cathedral for the Knights of that
 city and vicinity.

The annual dinner of the Massa-
 chusetts State Council in Boston on
 April 18 will be a brilliant affair.
 The speakers will include Cardinal
 O'Connell, Gov. Walsh, Mayor Cur-
 ley, Congressman Korbly, of Indiana,
 and Hon. Michael J. Ryan, candidate
 for Governor of Pennsylvania.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Matthews,
 2819 Rowan street, have the sym-
 pathy of the entire West End in the
 death of Miss Ida Matthews, who
 succumbed to typhoid fever. She
 was nineteen years old and an only
 child. Miss Matthews was a devout
 communicant of St. Anthony's
 church, from where the funeral was
 held Wednesday morning.

Benedict Joseph Ross, aged sev-
 enty-four, father of J. Hunter Ross
 and for many years a member of the
 Sacred Heart parish, died Wednes-
 day morning in St. Louis at the home
 of his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Guthrie.
 The deceased was widely known in
 railroad circles throughout the coun-
 try and was one of the pioneer
 members of the Catholic Knights of
 America. His wife and two son
 and five daughters survive him.
 Following the funeral services in St.
 Louis the remains were brought to
 this city for interment in St. Louis
 cemetery.

The death of an old and respected
 member of the Church of Our Lady,
 James B. Disney, occurred at his
 home, 2739 Bank street, Sunday
 morning, following a month's illness
 of pneumonia. James Disney was
 born in Ireland seventy-two years
 ago, but came to Louisville while a
 boy. He was a brother of the late
 Father Disney, for years pastor of
 the Sacred Heart church. Besides
 his wife he leaves one brother, J. J.
 Disney, who resides in Richmond,
 Va. His funeral, which was largely
 attended, was held Tuesday morning,
 the Rev. Father Coniff officiating
 at the mass of requiem, and in his
 sermon paid tribute to the honesty
 and fidelity to faith and fatherland
 that were distinguishing traits of the
 life of the deceased.

GETHESEMANI.

The Monastery of Gethsemani has
 again been visited by death, the Rev.
 Father Augustine Stevenot, O. R. C.,
 being called to his eternal rest on
 April 3. Father Augustine was
 sixty-three years of age, and for
 twenty years was a holy and devout
 priest of the Order of Reformed
 Cistercians. May his soul rest in
 peace.

GOES TO NEW YORK.

Walter J. Naber, one of our local
 young ball players, and who played
 in the Twin City League last season,
 left Wednesday for New York to
 accept a position in the auditing de-
 partment of the American Tobacco
 Company. Walter has the best
 wishes of his many friends here for
 success in his new surroundings.

SOCIAL CLUB DANCE.

The Emerald Hibernian Social
 Club will give the next of their
 series of dances at Utopian Hall on
 Wednesday evening, and the fol-
 lowing Reception Committee will be
 in charge: James McTigue, L. J.
 Mooney, Thomas Farrell and James
 Filburn.

CORRECTS GAS APPLIANCES.

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ROLLER VS. HUSSANE.

The local wrestling favorite, Dr.
 Roller, will meet Yussif Hussane,
 a Turkish champion, next Monday
 evening at the Armory, and judging
 from the records of both men the
 match should be a good one. Only
 recently Hussane stood Zbysko off
 for two hours and fifty minutes with-
 out a fall, while Dr. Roller also gave
 the Pole a hard battle here several
 weeks ago. The weights will be
 about even and the men classed
 with the top notchers from a science
 standpoint. Dr. H. E. Mechling will
 referee the bout.

YOUNG MEN'S LOTTO.

The members of St. Joseph's
 Young Men's Club will entertain
 with a lotto party in their club
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BUILDING FUND GROWING.

The meeting of Division 3, A. O. H., last Monday night was largely attended and marked by great enthusiasm. President Maloney obligated four new members and announced that ten more applications for admission into the order had been received and would be reported at the next meeting. The Home Committee reported that the remodeling of the building would be completed the middle of May, and that the home would then be furnished and ready for occupancy for the first meeting in June. The committee who have charge of the furnishings have already secured complete gymnasium equipment, a first-class Balke-Collender pool table and a handsome new set of officers' chairs. The Secretary of the building fund announced that since the last meeting he had received \$112 in donations for the home. When the business had been completed cigars were passed and the members enjoyed a good smoke and social session.

PAID IN FULL.

Thursday night the Catholic Knights of America turned over to the beneficiaries of Michael Keaney, who died two weeks ago, their check for \$2,000, the full amount of his policy. In the case of the late Michael Walsh the money was paid into court. Years ago Walsh, who was unable to pay his premiums, through attorneys arranged with A. S. Smith for their payment to prevent his membership lapsing. After his death the beneficiary refused to reimburse Mr. Smith, who justly entered an attachment suit and the money was paid into court, where the case is now pending. But for Smith's money there would have been no insurance on Walsh, and the members of the order feel that his claim is just and should be paid. This case has given rise to some false impressions, which are dispelled by the fact that the Catholic Knights pay their beneficiaries in from six to fifteen days and have not a claim outstanding in the entire country.

PLEASANT SURPRISE.

George Wolf, a popular member of the fire department, was given a most delightful surprise at his home 445 North Twenty-eighth street, in honor of his birthday. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames B. J. Sand, Hughes, George Wolf; Misses Fannie and Sallie Miller, Mabel and Ruth Hughes, and Messrs. John Daugherty, Walter Hughes, Fred Wolf, William Miller and George Shanks. There was a bounteous birthday dinner and all spent a most happy evening.



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BASEBALL OPENING.

Next Tuesday afternoon all roads will lead to Eclipse Park, at Seventh and Kentucky streets, when the local American Association race will open with Wathen's Colonels meeting Bobby Quinn's Columbus team. The game proper will be called at 3 o'clock, but the big crowd will be on hand long before that on account of the many frills prior to the beginning, which include a band concert, parade of all the players of both teams and then the introduction by Attorney Thomas A. Barker of Mayor Buschmeyer to the crowd and players, our chief executive to open the ceremonies by pitching the first ball across the plate to be swung at by Shelton, the Columbus center fielder, who of course will be unable to connect with the Mayor's curves. The Louisville team has shown up well in the exhibition games, only being decisively beaten by the Detroit team, who are unusually strong this year and a sure contender for the American League pennant, the defeats being in no way a reflection on the Colonels, who more than held their own with the Chicago Cubs and the Cincinnati team. Local fans are convinced that we will be an important factor in the Association race. The probable line-up for Tuesday will be as follows: Stanbury, I. F.; Osborne, C. F.; Ingerson, R. F.; Severoid, C.; Weinberg, F. B.; McLarry, S. B.; Buemiller, S. A.; Dodge, T. B.; Laudermilk or Toney, P.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

A family reunion was held Saturday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hartung, at 419 West M street, in celebration of the couple's golden wedding. The marriage vows the couple took fifty years ago were repeated at their anniversary mass in Holy Name church, the Rev. Father John O'Connor officiating. Following the church ceremonies the celebration was continued during the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hartung. Mr. Hartung is seventy-six years old and Mrs. Hartung is seventy. Nine of their children and all of their twenty-one grandchildren spent the day with them. One son, Edward Hartung, of Seattle, Wash., who found it impossible to be with his parents on the occasion, sent a long message of love and congratulations. Besides their children and grandchildren, three brothers of Mr. Hartung and their wives and families and a brother and two sisters of Mrs. Hartung and other relatives were guests at the Hartung home.

HOSPITAL BENEFIT.

The Ladies' Sewing Society of St. Anthony's Hospital have completed every arrangement and detail for their annual charity euchre and lotto, to be given at Phoenix Hill Hall next Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and evening, the games to commence at 2:30 and 8 o'clock. The ladies have been hard at work for the past month preparing for this affair and expect a large attendance on each afternoon and evening. They have many handsome prizes for the euchre and lotto games and in addition will have a number of novel attractions. The ladies will serve an excellent supper both evenings, and besides there will be music and an abundance of refreshments. The proceeds will go toward taking care of the many charity patients whom the Sisters of St. Anthony's Hospital provide for each year.

HER SAD END.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Mapother, forty-six years old, wife of Harry H. Mapother and sister-in-law of Wible L. Mapother, first Vice President of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, died after swallowing strychnine tablets at her residence, 803 South Thirty-fourth street. Mrs. Mapother had been in ill health several years, verging at times upon a nervous breakdown, according to her husband and son, Harry Mapother, Jr. She was in the habit of taking aspirin tablets to relieve nervous headaches, they said, and had a box of the tablets in the house, but by mistake took the fatal dose. Her funeral was held from St. Charles church.

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